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In re Application of Frei

Application No. 09/594,216 Filed: June 14, 2000

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SUBNETWORK DEVICES WITHOUT DIRECT LAYER-2 COMMUNICATION AND COUPLED TO A COMMON FORWARDING AGENT INTERFACE TO COMMUNICATED THROUGH LAYER-3

DECISION ON REQUEST TO WITHDRAW FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the Request for Withdrawal as attorney or agent and change of address filed on March 30, 2004.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must:

(1) indicate the present mailing address of the attorney(s)/agent(s) who seek(s) to withdraw, and (2) be signed by each attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or clearly be signed on their behalf, and (3) be approved at least thirty (30) days prior to the maximum extendable period for response to any outstanding Office Action, and

(4) indicate the address to which future correspondence should be mailed.

Petitioner has met all of the above. Accordingly, the request is **GRANTED**.

All attorneys/agents associated with Customer Number 22877 are withdrawn.

All future communications from the Office will be directed to the address listed below until otherwise notified by applicant. Applicant is reminded of the obligation to promptly notify the Patent and Trademark Office of any change in correspondence address to ensure receipt of all communications from the Office.

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